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PETITION FOR TWO-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

Applicant(s), through the undersigned attorney, hereby petition(s) the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to extend the time for responding to the Office Action dated May 13, 2004 for two months from August 13, 2004 to October 13, 2004.

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Submitted herewith is a check for \$430.00 to cover the cost of this extension. Any deficiency or overpayment should be charged to Deposit Account No. 03-3125. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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